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Election Returns

The following are the election returns for the Milled constituency. The towns mentioned include the country polls tributary to them.

Oinkos	Majority for Shaw	414
St. Mary	(Unionist)	220
St. Mary	"	210
Nanton	"	210
Macedon	"	660
St. Mary	"	52
St. Mary	"	71
Rocky Mountain	Majority for Melvior	13

CLARESHOLM POLLING

W. Claresholm	Melvor Shaw Marshall	55	45	33
E. Claresholm	66	53	10	
Trout Creek	9	4	5	
Claresholm View	14	3	11	
Five Miles	18	5	4	
Meadow Creek	11	19	3	
Northern Light	4	9		
Mountain Peak	2	1	9	
Pringle View	5	5	12	
Green Bank	11	5	2	
Hosier	9	3	4	
Wood House	6	3	4	
Forty-Four	8	1		
Foot Hills	6	2	1	
Schaffer	6	6	0	
	227	156	107	

AFTER-THOUGHTS

There was little jubilation, but rather a deep sense of gratitude on the part of the Unionists, at the magnificent way that Canada endorsed the policy of the Union Government.

From the latest reports it looks as if the government will have a majority of fifty, without counting the soldier overseas vote. Few, if any, expected so decisive a victory. The new government will now be on trial. Already it has done much to justify its existence. We believe that the affairs of the nation will immediately be put on a business basis and that the corrupt of the patronage system will no longer exist. It is not too much to hope that the Union government will become a permanent thing in Canadian politics. If the government could see its way to introduce a Federal Direct Legislation Act the need for party politics would disappear and Union government would stand a chance of a long lease of life.

We are sorry that in standing by our principles we were compelled to displease many of our readers. We appreciate the patience which the supporters of Mr. Melvior and Mr. Marshall have had with us. Only one subscriber out of our three thousand readers cancelled his subscription. In readers cancelled a dollar and a half less to our annual income, and by letting our last grow price as long as usual, we

can get back at our lost subscriber, and make up the deficiency in our revenue.

We can never hope to agree with all our subscribers, and we sincerely hope that none of our readers will think so little of us as to expect us to devote one iota from our principles for the sake of a subscription.

Now, let us get on with the war.

Claresholm is one of the few places outside Quebec that stood by the old Liberal Chief and gave him a good majority. The occasion that Laurier lost all through the West led the East to believe that the whole West would roll up a big majority against Union. But the East does not know the West. We have supported Laurier time and again in the past. The West honored him on his recent visit because of his past clean record. The West knows that he will rank in history as one of Canada's great statesmen. The opposition was not against Laurier, but against Quebec, which if he had been elected would have held the balance of power in parliament. In the West we soon forget our quarrels, shake hands with our worst enemies, and in politics for the time being part company with our best friends. We have finished our fight at home, let us now get after the Hun.

Allowances to Mothers

The following Act will be presented at the next session of the Alberta Legislature. Its merits, we believe, will appeal to most of our readers.—Editor.

The Act will be called "The Mothers' Allowance Act." It provides that there shall be paid to mothers out of the consolidated revenue funds of the province such allowances, subject to the right of disallowance by the minister, as shall from time to time be settled upon by the board, to enable the mothers to maintain their homes and to rear and educate their children in a proper home environment.

The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may from time to time fix the maximum scale of allowances and adopt and enforce such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the proper carrying out of this Act, and may designate the classes of mothers to whom the Act shall apply.

This Act shall be administered by the Board, which shall have the power, (a) to adjudicate in all cases; (b) to exercise such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the proper carrying out of this Act, and may designate the classes of mothers to whom the Act shall apply; (c) to appoint doctors, nurses and other persons to visit mothers receiving allowances under this Act; (d) to do any other thing which in the Board's judgment is necessary for the proper carrying out of this Act.



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Friday, December 21, 1917

CHRISTMAS, 1917

Before our next issue makes its appearance, Christmas of 1917 will have gone into the past. The Christmas story of the birth of the babe in Bethlehem, which is ever new and refreshing, is doubtless so at this time when our brave troops are standing guard on the hills around Bethlehem where the shepherds heard the angels' song, "Peace on earth, good will to men."

A thrill of pride in the achievement of our soldiers passed through the Empire when the news was flashed that Jerusalem and its environs had been wrested from the rapacious Turk, whose grip had been upon it for 1200 years.

The Holy City is once more in Christian hands. Our modern crusaders have won out and proved their metal, and he who 1900 years ago taught throughout Palestine the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man, will once more have a chance to brighten the homes and lives of the people of that city.

The British troops unlike the Hun, have respected the Holy City, and not a shot or shell has fallen within its walls; and no damage has been done to its historic sites. We trust that for many weeks the deplorable Turk will be forever driven out of Palestine.

It is a sad world today in which to talk of Christmas and yet there was never a time in the world's history that the Xmas spirit of trying to make others happy, was more needed. The war has shown us something of the inherent good that is in men, as well as the inherent bad. The response to the call for help for the Red Cross, the Belgian and Serbian Relief, the Patriotic and other funds has exceeded our most optimistic expectations. Many of our boys in the trenches and many needy ones the world over are grateful at this Xmas season for the helping hand that has been extended to them so generously.

There may be some needy ones in our own district. In this period of prosperity no home should be allowed to lack the Christmas cheer.

No Wheat Off C.P.R. Lines

In explanation of the recent embargo which was announced against shipments of Alberta wheat to the east, the following is given by the Manitoba Free Press:

"At the request of the Board of Grain Supervisors of Canada, the C.P.R. has placed an embargo on the movement of wheat to Fort William, over their lines to Alberta. All movement of wheat on their lines from now on in the province of Alberta will be to mills only."

"The territory covered by this embargo feeds mills at Medicine Hat, Maple Creek, Lethbridge, Macleod, Calgary and Vancouver, and smaller mills at more interior points. Practically all of these mills have contracts for Britain and the allies. For some time the board of grain supervisors have been making very careful investigation as to the amount of wheat still in the country, and have concluded that if contracts are to be met and domestic requirements supplied, no more wheat must go off C.P.R. lines in Alberta. The C.P.R., in accordance with the urgent demand of the Wheat Export Company, have been making every effort to move an exceptional amount before navigation closed. In this effort they have succeeded possibly only too well, as supplies seem to be very thoroughly cleaned up at some points."

"The movement of wheat off C.P.R. lines in Alberta has been much slower. The northern portion of the province, served by the Great Northern, is later than the south. So far, the board of grain supervisors have not found it necessary to place an embargo on their lines in regard to wheat moving for export."

Butter Scramble

Rush for Supplies in Darlington—Empty Shop Shelves

"Did you see the butter scramble?" was on the lips of Darlington housewives a few weeks ago in discussing the food problem with friends. The butter hunters were unusually early at the Darlington Market Hall, yesterday, and the arrival of the farmers' wives with their butter and egg supplies was eagerly awaited.

The scarcity of butter was apparent, but it was not to be compared with yesterday. Farmers brought small supplies to the town, and when the stalls were opened for business large numbers of women rushed to make purchases. At one stall the crowd was so dense and the rush so violent that a woman fainted and collapsed to the ground. She was trampled upon—accidentally, of course—by the crowd.

The butter supplies were quickly exhausted, and scores of women when left the Market Hall disappointed, and resumed their search either for butter or margarine. The fortunate ones to secure butter were those who had been regular customers at the butter stalls.

While most of us were struggling to secure butter, ladies in mail coats and prams were left in a continuous row outside the Market Hall, and created quite a din, due no doubt to the absence of their parents and the bitter cold.

A stroll round the town also revealed an acute shortage of foodstuffs generally. While some shops seemed to have moderate food supplies, others were practically empty. Windows and shelves in some shops were almost bare, the only "adornments" being tinned and bottled foods.

A striking feature of the shortage was to be seen at a well-known grocery establishment, which, a few days ago, has always an ample stock. The windows had been stripped, and the shelves and counters contained little food of a nourishing kind. In a multiple shop there was displayed a big placard announcing that supplies of butter, margarine, tea, and sugar had run out. The shop assistants stood in the wings, waiting.

Tradesmen, it is interesting to note, are booming coffee as a tea substitute.—The North Star, Darlington, Durham, England.

In addition to the above, a letter received from the parents of Mrs. L. C. Newson, resident in Darlington, state in part, as follows: "We can't get currants, raisins, or hard nor, in fact I don't tell you how scarce food is, and mother standing waiting outside shops every day."

Surely in view of the above facts, we ought to be more than thankful in this time of plenty, here in the west. Surely we can relish our Christmas dinner.

Meadow Creek Ripples

Don't forget the Christmas Tree and Dance at Carnforth, on Friday, Ladies are asked to bring baskets. Anyone not living in the district are asked to bring gifts for their children.

It is reported that Will Hart has been stocking up with household furniture. That looks (or sounds) rather serious. How about it, Will? Jim Bell has been visiting on the Creek for a week. He is on leave after having been "gassed." He was awarded a Military Cross for heroic work under fire. He is the first of our boys to be awarded this honor. Although he is not strictly speaking, a Meadow Creek boy, he has two uncles, an aunt, cousins and many friends here who are glad to consider him as one of "our heroes."

Mr. and Mrs. Hart expect their daughter, son-in-law and family, (Mr. and Mrs. Lorr, Medicine Hat) to spend the holidays with them.

Our colleague, the correspondent of the Brown, seems to be dissatisfied about the absence of "Round Up Horsemasters." Perhaps it is because the Browns slow with such irregularity.

Cheer up! Santa Claus will use his big plan this year, no matter what the weather is like, he will show up with his pack. But as this is war time, perhaps it will be a little lighter than we would wish. However, Hans's Christmas dinner must alone for that, and when we eat our "Mince" we will have the satisfaction of knowing that the doctor will empty our purses with cases of dyspepsia.

Merry Christmas to all.



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Final Appeal Judge Gives Ruling on Exemption of Farmers

Mr. Justice Duff (the Final Court of Appeal) Declares it is Essential that there shall be No Diminution in Agricultural Production.

(Published by authority of Director of Public Information, Ottawa.)

Hon. Mr. Justice Duff gave judgment on December 6th, in the first test case brought before him, as Central Appeal Judge (the final court of appeal), for the exemption of a farmer. The appeal was made by W. H. Rowntree in respect of his son, W. J. Rowntree, from the decision of Local Tribunal, Ontario, No. 421, which refused a claim for exemption. The son was stated to be an experienced farm hand, who had been working on the farm continuously for the past seven years, and ever since leaving school. He lives and works with his father, who owns a farm of 150 acres near Weston, Ontario. With the exception of a younger brother, he is the only male help of the father on the farm. The father is a man of advanced years.

In granting the man exemption "until he ceases to be employed in agricultural labor," Mr. Justice Duff said:

"The Military Service Act does not deal with the subject of the exemption of persons engaged in the agricultural industry; and the question which it is my duty to decide is whether the applicant being and having been, as above mentioned, habitually and effectively engaged in agriculture and in labor essential to the carrying on of agricultural production, ought to be exempted under the provisions of the Military Service Act.

"These two propositions are indisputable:

"(1) In order that the military power of the allies may be adequately sustained, it is essential that in this country and under the present conditions, there should be no diminution in agricultural production.

"(2) The supply of competent labor available for the purpose of agricultural production is not abundant, but actually is deficient.

"The proper conclusion appears to be that the applicant, a competent person, who had been habitually and effectively engaged in labor essential to such production, ought not to be withdrawn from it.

"It is perhaps unnecessary to say that such exemptions are not granted as concessions on account of personal hardship, still less as a favor to a class. The sole ground of them is that the national interest is the better served by keeping these men at home. The supreme necessity (upon the existence of which, as its preamble shows, this policy of the Military Service Act is founded) that leads the State to take men by compulsion and put them in the fighting line requires that men shall be kept at home who are engaged in work essential to enable the State to maintain the full efficiency of the combatant forces, and whose places cannot be taken by others not within the class called out."

Ottawa, Dec. 8, 1917.

CORRESPONDENCE

EDITOR OF THE REVIEW-ADVERTISER:

The time has come for ACTION, not words, in connection with the administration, or rather lack of administration, of our water and light departments. The people of this town have been put to serious loss and annoyance by the fact that water and light are not available when most wanted.

This matter of the breakdown of our water and light systems comes as a sort of a climax to a long series of blunders by the Council, beginning at the "franchise" by law and ending with the putting of the water and light systems on the blink.

The blundering habit has been so strong that it manifested itself in the recent municipal election. In order to evade discussion and criticism they stole the election. But in this matter they overplayed the mark and in my opinion, the selection was clearly illegal and may yet be set aside.

[Let me here say that no one is opposed to Messrs. Murray and Knight on personal grounds, only as to the manner of their election.]

According to the Act under which the city business, the law requires that notices be printed and posted setting forth the day and the hour when nominations will take place, and if an election is necessary, the date of the election. This legal notice to the ratepayers was omitted, and consequently, the ratepayers, and kept in total ignorance of the whole proceedings. Messrs. Murray and Knight were not elected by the ratepayers, but by the little clique that runs the city hall; they represent no one else.

Unless I have gone quite blind, this whole affair looks "yellow" to me. If the members of the 1917 council board had a clear conscience they would at least have shown a little more moral courage.

To return to the question of water and light. There is absolutely no excuse for the present state of affairs. The city of Wilton Creek looked dead last summer. The council was well aware of what would happen if they were not required. But they did nothing and the city is now paying dearly for their neglect of duty. Business areas are greatly handicapped, some have put out of business for a time, in this the busiest season of the year. Add to this the present fuel shortage of revenue to the city as a result of firms installing private lighting systems. Then think of what would happen to Clareholm if he broke out on a night night among some of the old houses. The city is in a very critical position. Yet the council are quite indifferent and take quick exception to any criticism.

What then, is the logical conclusion? Simply this: That the mayor and members of the council, who are responsible for the administration of water and light systems are utterly incompetent and lack ability or desire to do the work entrusted to their care. The city has no right to the portance of that service which is expected of them. They treat the subject as though water and light were a luxury rather than a real necessity, and that it makes little whether we have them or not.

I give it as my opinion that the people hold a different view from the council and would greatly appreciate a change of administration.

In order to bring about this much needed change in municipal administration of our water and light systems, I therefore submit the motion:

"That a public meeting of all ratepayers who are dissatisfied with the present handling of our public utilities be called as soon as convenient. This meeting should go thoroughly into the whole question of water and light supply and seek to find a remedy. The matter must be dealt with fearlessly and with perfect candor. The ratepayers are in the position of an employer, if their employees do not give satisfaction they know what to do.

Agree second the motion I now back your talk up with action, ladies and gentlemen. Carry on!"

DOMINION

Red Cross Notes

The annual meeting of the Woman's Institute and Red Cross was held on Dec. 6th, at the Red Cross room.

The following report of the year's work (1917) were read by the treasurer and secretary:

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1917

RECEIPTS

Bel. on hand from 1916.....\$ 24.97

Cash received from Nov. 1917 to Dec. 3, 1917.....\$266.58

Total.....\$291.55

EXPENSES

Special donations.....\$225.00

British Red Cross.....60.00

Two Clareholm prisoners.....10.00

100 Xmas Boxes valued at.....350.00

General merchandise for sale in 1917.....1681.42

Bel. on hand, Dec. 3, 1917.....565.13

Total.....\$2821.55

Morton Fisher, Treasurer.

SECRETARY'S REPORT, 1917

Report of garments made by the different groups for 1917:

Capt. Holden group.....1168

Capt. Williams & McAndrews.....1281

Capt. Fisher.....4908

Capt. Hargrave & Hargrave.....4781

Capt. Wales & Melrose.....270

Capt. Gibb.....1381

Capt. Lennan.....1484

Capt. Bell.....14

Capt. Law.....4

6298

Capt. Reinecke's & Shanks group, Sec. Capt. 6292

Canvassers Report of the two weeks campaign held in February, 1917:

Five Mile School Pae Social 1 428 35

Mrs. E. Brown, Prairie View 287 00

Mrs. E. Moffatt, Clarksburg 270 25

Mrs. E. Anderson, Districts

Nos. 2 & 3.....140 00

Mrs. Murray, Clareholm 8 138 00

Mrs. Elliott, Willow C. 44 119 00

Mrs. T. Larsen, District No. 8.....101 85

Mrs. J. D. Larsen, Hooten.....100 00

School Social.....81 00

Mrs. Clay, Clareholm North.....81 00

Mrs. B. Williams, Dist. No. 1.....81 00

Mrs. S. Schmitt, Dist. No. 8.....81 00

Mrs. C. C. Brown, Green Creek.....81 00

Mrs. A. Holding, Carletonplace.....62 35

Mrs. H. Kinney, east of track.....62 00

Mrs. H. Dawson, Schaffer school.....45 00

Mrs. J. E. Brown, Greenbank.....39 50

Mrs. T. R. Evans, Nor. Light.....37 50

Mrs. Sharpley, Greenbank.....\$231 06

The Society noted—

Fifty pounds of butter, to be forwarded to the Olden Military Convalescent Home for returned soldiers.

Fifty dollars, to be forwarded to Calgary in answer to an appeal for the "housewife fund". This fund provides the very necessary "housewife" to be rounded soldier's returning to the front for hospital treatment.

The Red Cross also wished to publicly tender a vote of thanks to—

(1) The Review Advertiser for their courtesy in so thoroughly the story.

(2) To Mr. Leeds for the use of the Red Cross room, free of rent.

(3) To the retiring officers for their splendid work in the past year.

(4) And also thank the public for their splendid support in all our undertakings.

The election of officers for 1918 then followed:

President—Mrs. McKinney.

President—Mrs. Knight.

Vice-President—Mrs. Torelli.

Secretary—Mrs. Brown.

Treasurer—Mrs. Fisher.

Auditors—Mrs. Watt, Mrs. Torelli.

Captains of Groups—Madame McKinnon, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Hargrave, Mrs. Voss, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Larsen, Reinecke & Shanks.

Distributors—Mrs. Ernie Moffatt on Tuesdays; Mrs. Wales on Saturdays.

Buyer—Miss Brown.

Will the captains and groups please note the following regulations:

In future do not wear triangular.

In stead of working booth-hole in the hand of physician, please place it one inch below neck-band.

Please use the "Kitchenette" as much as possible in knitting, etc.

Full directions have been provided each captain.

The distributors office will be closed from Dec. 22nd to Jan. 2nd, inclusive.

Hill Brookes

R. Plasket was a caller in the district, a few days ago.

There was a lantern brigade out one night last week on the trail of a man wandering about the hills. He turned up all right towards morning at one of the neighbors, without being frozen in any way. Better stay close to a house these nights, Charlie.

Some seem to feel pretty bad about the defeat of their old leader, but cheer up, C.E. the water is yet to come.

James Smith had the misfortune to slip and break his back. A night run to fit him up.

"Sweet and Fletcher are on the lookout for cheap cattle. Any one having any for sale please 1108 or 1109.

R. Baird does seem to be getting the cage ready as fast as was anticipated. What the matter, W.G.

The chinook wind seems to get a pretty good hold on some of the blunderers. Weigh them down a little better, W.G.

Series of Lectures and Papers

To be given to St. John's Parish Hall, Clareholm, 1917-18, at 8:30 p.m.

Jan. 10—Canadian Northwest, 1670.

Jan. 17—"Astronomy" (Illustrated).

Jan. 24—"Some After the War."

Feb. 7—"Russia." Mr. W. J. Hallett.

Feb. 14—"Russia." Mr. R. Hargrave.

Feb. 21—"Shakespeare's Women."

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NOTICE TO STALLION OWNERS

Under the provisions of the new Stallion Act all stallions which stand or travel in the Province of Alberta hereafter must be inspected by inspectors appointed by the Department of Agriculture. The schedule to be followed by such inspectors is as follows:

Mating	Date	Afternoon	Mating	Date	Afternoon
Langdon	Jan. 2	Strathmore	Chinook	Feb. 14	Oyen
Gleichen	Jan. 3	Bassano	Edmonton	Feb. 15	Assin, Sask.
Brooks	Jan. 4	Calder	Edmonton	Feb. 16	Edmonton
Irvine	Jan. 5	Medicine Hat	Trochu	Feb. 17	Louisa
Winnifred	Jan. 6	Grassy Lake	Big Valley	Feb. 18	Edmonton
Tabor	Jan. 7	Grassy Lake	Trochu	Feb. 19	Holmes
Cardston	Jan. 8	Grassy Lake	Viking	Feb. 20	Edmonton
Stirling	Jan. 9	Grassy Lake	Wainwright	Feb. 21	Edmonton
Cochrane	Jan. 10	Grassy Lake	Chinook	Feb. 22	Edmonton
Lethbridge	Jan. 11	Grassy Lake	Lloydminster	Feb. 23	Edmonton
Volcan	Jan. 12	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 24	Edmonton
Lundbreck	Jan. 13	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 25	Edmonton
Marcel	Jan. 14	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 26	Edmonton
Grazum	Jan. 15	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 27	Edmonton
Parkland	Jan. 16	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 28	Edmonton
High River	Jan. 17	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 29	Edmonton
Blackie	Jan. 18	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 30	Edmonton
De Winton	Jan. 19	Grassy Lake	Verulam	Feb. 31	Edmonton
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G. S. A. Notes

Monday, December 10th. The
second year boys went to the stock
show at Calgary, accompanied by
Prof. Scott. After spending an
agreeable and instructive three days,
they returned Wednesday evening.

A strong plea is being advanced
by the Dominion food controller
for an increased production of pork.
Prof. Scott has engaged on this
to both the first and second years,
and anybody who is interested either
for patriotic motives or for increased
profit may apply for fuller details to
any of the students or to Prof. Scott.

Saturday, December 15th. A
meeting of the Literary Society was
held. In the absence of Mr. D.
Macdonald, Miss Shapley, as Vice-
President, took the chair. As Mr.
Stephen was not present, the judges
were Mr. N. Fraser and Prof.
McLellan.

There being no second year
debate, the evening was opened with
that of the first year, the subject
being, "Resolved that mixed farming
is better suited to the conditions of
southern Alberta than straight
cattle growing." The affirmative
was supported by Messrs. F. Birand
and W. Dersch, and the negative by
J. Whitehead and J. McKay. The
decision was returned in favor of
the affirmative. Much amusement
was afforded in this debate, especially
by the leader of the affirmative.

While the judges were deciding
we were entertained by a reading
given by the talented Miss Honey-
cuth, which was fully appreciated.
Madame Chairman then announ-
ced that the dance was in order,
which, owing to the lack of a pro-
ficient lighting system, lasted only
until 10 p.m. This will be the last
social evening before the Christmas
holidays.

Not Proud of It

"Does this town boast of a common
council?"
"We got one, stranger, if that's what
you mean," said the native of Plunk-
ville. "But we don't boast of it."
Detroit Free Press.

THE STUNT GIVER—"Did you
see that?"
"You don't know what it is to have
a wife who was once a school teacher.
She simply made me write a hundred
times on a slate, 'I must be home by
10 o'clock.'"
—New York Globe.

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Boy, golding, 3 yrs. old, branded
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For some time past a quantity of maps have been
issued, and many persons have been misled by the
information contained therein. It is the policy of the
Government to issue maps of the Northwest Territory
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At THE THEATRES!

"Triumph"

When Nell Baxter played Rosalind
in a amateur performance of "You
Like It" her friends told her she was
full of talent. The professional in-
structor who had come from New
York to stage the performance told
her the same thing, but in more glow-
ing expression. Submitting to the
united verdict of all concerned (in-
cluding Nell, herself) the girl decided
to run away from home to make a
name upon the stage—to give the
world the benefit of her artistry.
Ninety nine girls, in real life, have
done the same thing. Dorothy Phillips
will enact in Bluebird photographs at
the Rex theatre on Friday and Satur-
day December the 21st and 22nd.
The hundredth girl succeeds—but lit-
tle Nell was not the hundredth girl.
Just what happened to the embryo
Mary Anderson was originally told
in fascinating story by Samuel Hop-
kins Adams when he contributed the
narrative to Collier's. Bluebird has
made a gripping screen-story out of
"Triumph" as written by Mr. Adams
and clever Dorothy Phillips master-
fully realized the character of Nell
Baxter, the village wonder. There
will be an excellent lesson for girls
who are "stage struck" in Bluebird's
presentations of "Triumph."

"The Field of Honor"

When the Butterfly picture, "The
Field of Honor," is shown at the Rex
theatre on Monday and Tuesday De-
cember the 24th and 25th we shall see
the finalization of the story of our own
Civil War, written by no less a per-
sonage than Brand Whitlock, who
was a United States Minister to il-
l-fated Belgium at the time of the
break of the present European con-
flict. The tale is a powerful one of
the contrast between two young men
brought up in the same town, and
how the civil strife affected both of
them. One proves to be a physical
coward, while the other is the embodiment
of courage. Yet he sacrifices his
own reputation of heroism to the
memory of his comrade, who proved
to be less a man in the face of danger.
The hero does this for that age-old
reason—"for honor."
This story is the wife of the hero and
he allows her to preserve her
high opinion of her husband, even
though it means the relinquishing of
his own hopes. The strong story,
which contains some marvelous battle
scenes, was directed by Allen Hol-
burn, who also acts the role of the hero
and patron of Butterfly pictures will
see a wonderful production, when
"The Field of Honor" comes to the
Rex theatre.

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DINNER MENU

1 TO 3 P.M.

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SOUP
Concomme Imperial
Cream a la Duchesse
FISH
Baked Fraser River Salmon
a la couronne—Hunting style
SMALL
Sliced Cucumbers, Sliced Tomatoes
ENTREE
Lemon Chicken Tart
Emmenter of Duck a la St. Cloud
BOILED
Spring Chicken au petit pois
ROAST
Tenderloin of Beef, Yorkshire Pudding
Mince Cherry Jelly
Young Turkey
Almond Dressing, Cranberry Jelly
Apple and Apple Sauce
VEGETABLES
Sweet Potatoes, Mashed Potatoes
French Peas
PASTRY
New England Deep Apple Pie and
Whipped Cream
Hot Mince Pie
New England Snow Pie
DESSERT
New York Plum Pudding
Chocolate Fudge, Nuts
Raspberries, Almonds, Cheese
Cakes
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